

ABOUT THE STATE

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST FROM DIFFERENT SECTIONS

Mrs. Margaret Drugg, aged 95 years, Stowe's oldest resident, has a broken hip, the result of a fall.

The employees of the Ryegate Paper company, located at East Ryegate, have received an increase in wages from 12 to 17 cents per hour.

Mrs. Lydia Willey, aged 75 years, of Orleans, who has taken practically the whole care of her garden this summer, on July 4, a spark went under the veranda and soon a brisk blaze was in progress, which ruined the whole piazza before it was extinguished.

Mrs. E. G. Farrington, proprietor of the Princess theatre in Brattleboro, has secured the lease of the Auditorium in that place at \$2,600 for the year, which is to begin Sept. 1. There were several bids for the place.

While Reginald Leavens of West Charleston was playing with firecrackers July 4, a spark went under the veranda and soon a brisk blaze was in progress, which ruined the whole piazza before it was extinguished.

Gerald Sargent, a 16-year-old Newport boy, was accidentally shot while celebrating the Fourth. How the accident happened is not known, but the bullet entered the right side of his body, struck a rib and glanced, lodging in or near the spine and causing paralysis of one leg. He is in the St. Johnsbury hospital in a serious condition.

A seven-passenger Overland car, driven by parties from Newport and bound for Burlington, went over a bank in Underhill Sunday, when the driver mistook the accelerator for the emergency brake. The car turned completely over, breaking the radiator, fender, steering wheel and windshield, besides considerably damaging it otherwise. The driver sustained a bad cut in the eye, one woman received a scalp wound and another passenger was somewhat injured.

Sheriff Frank L. Wellman of Windham county has learned the names of nine Guilford boys who have been having fun with autoists lately in that place and their pranks are over for the present. After a thorough investigation he is satisfied that the boys have not been marked and have not carried revolvers, as some motorists have claimed. It is supposed they were so frightened that the stories were the product of excited brains. The boys would place an automobile tire in the road and when a motorist would stop to pick it up, the tire would be drawn over the bank by a string. The boys operated only at night, when not many cars were passing.

Rev. James Duke King, pastor of the Congregational church in Rupert, has left to enter Y. M. C. A. service overseas. He has a leave of absence from the church of one year, with full pay. At the close of the service June 30 he was presented a wrist watch by his parishioners. Mr. King was born Nov. 10, 1879, in Corbourn, N. F. and at the age of 14 came to Barre. He received his theological training in Boston university and in 1901 went to Wardsboro, where he supplied for 11 months. For two years he was pastor of the church in Putney and for the past 10 years he has been in Rupert. In 1903 he married Miss Charlotte Plimpton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Plimpton of Wardsboro.

Candidate for Senator in Windsor County.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate of the Republican party for the nomination of senator of Windsor county, to be voted for at the primary Sept. 10, provided there is manifested any considerable desire of the citizens of the county that I should thus serve them in this capacity. My record in the last legislature is an open book. Should I be nominated and elected I shall support

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Would Exclude the Albertsons.

Burlington, July 12.—A suit was filed in chancery in Chittenden county court yesterday by the Cedar Beach association against Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Albertson of New York City, the case being an attempt to enjoin the Albertsons from occupying or permitting any person to enter the property owned by them on Cedar Beach, which, it is said, has been sold to them without the consent of the association.

Mr. Woodbury is also a defendant in the case and an injunction against him is also sought to prevent him from permitting any person to occupy the cottage.

Mrs. Albertson is a native of Greece and an actress. The attorney for the Cedar Beach association is Charles H. Darling.

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ESTATE OF PHILURA M. BURNHAM
The undersigned, having been appointed by the honorable probate court for the district of Washington, commissioners to receive, examine, and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Philura M. Burnham, late of Cabot, in said district, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the town clerk's office, in the town of Cabot, in said district, on the 25th day of July, and 14th day of December next, from 1 o'clock p. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., on each of said days, and that six months from the 14th day of June, A. D. 1918, is the time limited by said court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at Cabot, this 3d day of July, A. D. 1918.

AUBREY V. NELSON,
STEPHEN A. NELSON,
Commissioners.

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FOR SALE CHEAP—Farm of 160 to 170 acres, formerly known as the Edgar Peak farm, situated on main road from Cabot to Danville, 1 1/2 miles from Cabot; never-failing water 1,000 to 1,200 cords of hard wood and 100 cords or more of pulpwood; sugar place of 700 to 800 trees; for price, etc., inquire of L. E. Peck or E. W. Peck, Cabot, Vt. 10064

FOR SALE—On account of being called into service, think it advisable to sell my home, a residence that was built for a home; one of the nicest and finest finished houses in Barre, hard wood throughout; beautiful surroundings and on a nice street; for a quick sale will sell for about half what it would cost to-day to build; if parties wished think probable two-thirds of purchase price could be left on mortgage; "A. G." care Times. 903

FRO SALE—A farm of 42 acres, land level, in high state of cultivation; a good barn, 30x55 ft.; a new house, not finished; on a good main road on R. F. D. route; also 22 acres of wood and pasture land, mostly soft wood; for further particulars inquire of Jesse Miller, Williamstown, Vt. 9616

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ESTATE OF HUGH YEALE

State of Vermont, District of Washington, ss. The honorable probate court for the district aforesaid, do hereby certify that the following is the estate of Hugh Yeaie, late of the city of Barre, in said district, deceased.

WHEREAS, application hath been made to this court in writing, by the administrator, praying for license and authority to convey to Oscar Slayton, of said city of Barre, county of Washington and state of Vermont, certain lands situated in said city of Barre and described as follows, to wit: It being one-third (1/3) of an acre of land with a cottage dwelling-house thereon; said land has a frontage of one hundred and eleven (111) feet on East street, and it extends back southeasterly from said street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet to the city of Barre, in said district, and acquiesced upon said premises as are owned by said party of the first part, on compliance by the said Oscar Slayton with the conditions of a certain contract in writing by and between Oscar Slayton of the city of Barre, in said district, and Hugh Yeaie, late of the city of Barre, in said district, representing that the said deceased was in his lifetime under contract, being the contract aforesaid, binding at law and in equity, to deed said land and premises to the said Oscar Slayton on compliance by the said Oscar Slayton with the conditions of said contract, and further representing that by deed as aforesaid, the assets in the hands of said administrator will not be used as to prevent a creditor of said deceased from receiving his whole debt or diminish his dividend.

WHEREUPON, the said court appointed and assigned the 22d day of July, 1918, at the probate office in Montpelier, in said district, to hear and decide upon said application and petition, and ordered public notice thereof to be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing said order, together with the time and place of hearing, three weeks successively in the Barre Daily Times, a newspaper which circulates in the neighborhood of those persons interested in said estate, all of which publications shall be previous to the day assigned for hearing.

THEREFORE, you are hereby notified to appear before said court, at the time and place assigned, then and there in said court to make your objections to the granting of such license, if you are cause.

Given under my hand at Montpelier, in said district, this 3d day of July, 1918.

MARY J. CUTLER, Register.

ESTATE OF LAURA S. DODGE

State of Vermont, District of Washington, ss. The honorable probate court for the district aforesaid, do hereby certify that the following is the estate of Laura S. Dodge late of the city of Barre, in said district, deceased.

WHEREAS, application hath been made to this court in writing, by the administrator, praying for license and authority to sell all of real and personal estate of said deceased, situated in the city of Barre, in said district, representing to said court that it would be beneficial to the heirs and all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, to sell said real estate and convert the same into money.

And bringing into court the consent and approval in writing of all the heirs to said estate residing in this state, and setting forth the situation of the real estate.

WHEREUPON, the said court appointed and assigned the 23d day of July, 1918, at the probate office in Montpelier, in said district, to hear and decide upon said application and petition, and ordered public notice thereof to be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing said order, together with the time and place of hearing, three weeks successively in the Barre Daily Times, a newspaper which circulates in the neighborhood of those persons interested in said estate, all of which publications shall be previous to the day assigned for hearing.

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Given under my hand at Montpelier, in said district, this 3d day of July, 1918.

FRANK J. MARTIN, Judge.

SEVENTY-ACRE FARM, 1 1/2 miles and the past pasture and woodland; cuts from 35 to 40 tons of hay, and almost all machine mowing; a good set of buildings, consisting of a house of 10 rooms, including bath and pantry; an ell with barn connected; barn has basement and henhouse and 2 barn floors, also stable for 6 horses; can tie 15 cows; running water at house and barn; large orchard of fall and winter apples; 100 blackberry bushes and all of strawberry plants; 2 miles from Washington village, on the main road from Barre City and 1 1/2 miles from the road to Williamstown, which is 4 miles away; 5 miles from Granville, 10 miles from Barre.

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TO RENT—Tenement of 4 rooms, first floor, \$10 month to small family, at 9 Smith block, in block; Smith Bros.; inquire at Smith & Cummins, or of H. J. Smith, 18 Maple avenue. 9817

TO RENT—A 4-room tenement with good basement, gas lights and spring water; apply at W. R. Cameron's grocery store, 161 Washington street, phone 742-W. 9853

TO RENT—At 80 Franklin street; 6 rooms, modern improvements; telephone 208-M or see Mr. Willey at Quarry Savings Bank. 9816

TO RENT—Steam heat and electric lights; inquire of A. Tomasi, 12 Merchant street. 9616

TO RENT—Tenement of 6 rooms in Brown block; electric lights, steam heat; vacant July 15; inquire of Patrick Brown, 34 Jefferson street. 9716

COTTAGE HOUSE of 6 rooms and bath to rent, at 44 Newton street; 3-room tenement at 12 1/2 Granite street; all modern conveniences; apply to Henry Lunde, Newton street. 9416

COTTAGE TO RENT—By the day or week, at Woodbury street; inquire of E. O. Kent, Wellington street, Barre. 9917

TO RENT—Second-floor tenement, Nichols block, 67 South Main street; inquire of McAllister & Kent, Aldrich block. 9117

TO RENT—A 4-room tenement on Central street; also a 4 or 5-room tenement at 231 So. Main street; and a 2-room tenement on Shortland street; inquire of O. D. Shortland, 231 North Main street. 8817

TO RENT—Upstairs tenement of 5 rooms at 38 Merchant street; inquire on the premises or of Mrs. H. S. Miles, tel. 637-W. 9517

TO RENT—First floor tenement of C. S. Wallace house on Terrace avenue; in first-class repair; furnished; heat and gas; inquire of McAllister & Kent, Aldrich block. 7517

ROOMS TO RENT—In Aldrich block; inquire of Robert Kent, on the premises. 7017

TO RENT—Upstairs tenement on Harrington street; inquire of Mrs. J. H. Parker, in same building. 6917

TO RENT—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; inquire of G. L. Woodward, Eastman block, tel. 424-2. 6817

TO RENT—At 34 Laurel street, 5 rooms, second and third floor; both first-class; set, tub, hot water, gas, electric lights; 5-room flat, 2d floor, corner Centre street and Forest place; E. L. Smith, 17 West street, or Alex. McAllister, 19 Harrington avenue, tel. 553-M. 4317

TO RENT—Second-floor tenement, Wallace house, Terrace street, 5 rooms; inquire of McAllister & Kent, Aldrich block. 6117

TO RENT—Tenement, 5 rooms, at 8 Addison street; inquire of McAllister & Kent, Aldrich block. 6117

FOR RENT—Eight-room tenement at 6 Spaulding street; keys at 8 Spaulding street; also 2-room tenement over Boyce's store; keys at Mrs. Mason's, upstairs; inquire of Geo. A. L. Smith, 17 West street, or Alex. McAllister, 19 Harrington avenue, tel. 553-M. 4317

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TO RENT—First-class tenement; modern improvements; inquire of Dr. O. G. Stickle, Washington street. 2717

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—A young man in a local granite office for a few weeks' employment; resident of the city required; address in own handwriting for interview, "Granite Office," care Barre Times. 9917

WANTED—To hire countrymen to cut several hundred cords of 4-ft. wood; will pay good wages, or would sell the wood on the stump at \$2.50 per cord; besides the hard wood there is a little spruce and some pulp; R. C. Holland, 77 Franklin street, Barre, tel. 707-J. 9917

WANTED—Two granite cutters; 70c per hour minimum; write beforehand; O. J. Hammond Co., Pleasantville, N. J. 9917

WANTED—A man to work at haying; telephone 447-W Montpelier. 9117

MAN WANTED—To work at Kempton Mills, steel job; apply at mill, South Main street, Barre. 9918

WANTED—Miners and muckers and men to learn; good wages, steady work and good board; Vermont Copper Company, South Stratford, Vt. 1617

WANTED—Three first-class granite cutters; none other need apply; wages, \$6.00 per day; address C. Schiller's Sons, Freedom, Pa. 8117

MALE HELP WANTED—Steady work and good wages; Bethel Chrome Tanning Co., Bethel, Vt. 9317

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Six young ladies to canvass; if interested, inquire at Quinlan House office, 172 North Main street. 9813

WANTED—Italian girl between 18 and 20 to work in office; call at room 19, Miles Granite block. 9717

WANTED—A housekeeper, a middle-aged woman; for particulars write Charles W. Ford, East Concord, Vt. 9716-W

WAITRESSES WANTED—W. F. Davis, Waterbury Inn, Waterbury, Vt. 9617

WANTED—Teacher for a district school, fall term; P. G. Boyce, Northfield, Vt., R. D. 1, Orange County telephone. 8417

MISCELLANEOUS

AUTO FOR HIRE—After June 25 will take automobile parties at reasonable rates; P. O. Fay